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§7-207.

- (a) (1) There is a program of State Merit Scholastic Awards.
- (2) The awards shall be issued annually by the Governor.
- (b) (1) On or before April 1 of each year, the principal of each senior high school shall present to the Governor a list of nominees for a State Merit Scholastic Award.
- (2) The list shall consist of the names of the top 5 percent of the students in the graduating class.
- (c) Each nominee shall be recommended for scholastic achievement.
- (d) The Governor shall issue to each student nominated for the award an appropriate certificate that recognizes the excellence of scholastic achievement of the student.

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